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1. An unidentified infantry unit is quartered in Knyazhevo (N4240 E2314) in a building which, prior to World War II, was occupied by a military school for reserve officers. This barracks is a 2-story building located at the corner of IX September Street and Valentin Andreev Street. The main entrance, located on Valentin Andreev Street opposite the public baths, is guarded by a sentry armed with an automatic rifle. [redacted] the commander of this barracks, [redacted] is a colonel.
2. A motor pool regiment is located in Pleven. [redacted]
[redacted]
3. [redacted] many Soviet citizens were in Sofia in civilian clothes and were easily identifiable by their clothes and by their behavior. The uniform for all Bulgarian military ranks is the same as that for the Soviets and it is thus impossible to distinguish Soviet from Bulgarian soldiers, should there be any Soviet soldiers in Bulgaria.

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